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2008 DRAGONFLY FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 6 & 7

BITTER LAKE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Location: Bitter Lake National Wildlife Refuge

Registration: Beginning August 4th. Call
625-4011 for reservations

Guided Tours: See backside for tour schedules

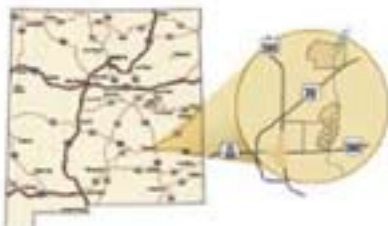
Exhibit Hall: Come enjoy the new exhibits at the
Joseph R. Skeen Visitor Center

Kids' Activities: Live animals, crafts & wildlife displays
(Saturday only)

Lunch: Free soft drink and hot dog lunch
(Saturday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.)

Information: Call (575) 625-4011

*The Refuge is located 7 miles
northeast of Roswell.
From Main St/U.S. 285 head east
on Pine Lodge Road*



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Schedule of Events

SATURDAY TOURS

September 6, 2008

Early Bird Tour (Saturday Only)

6:00 am - 9:30 am

Refuge Discovery (Saturday Only)

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Dragonfly Tours

- #1 8:00 am - 10:00 am
- #2 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
- #3 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
- #4 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
- #5 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Slide Presentations

- #1 9:00 am - 9:45 am
- #2 11:00 am - 11:45 am
- #3 1:00 pm - 1:45 pm
- #4 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

SUNDAY TOURS

September 7, 2008

Ink Pot Sink Hole (Sunday Only)

8:00 am - 11:30 am

Dragonfly Tours

- #1 8:00 am - 10:00 am
- #2 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
- #3 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Slide Presentations

- #1 9:00 am - 9:45 am
- #2 11:00 am - 11:45 am
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Program Description

Dragonfly Tour

Our most popular tour!!! Join professional dragonfly experts and see some of over ninety species of dragonflies and damselflies that inhabit the refuge.

Early Bird Tour

Join local birder, Cecil Kimberlin, as he explores little known birding hotspots. Over 300 species of birds have been sighted on the refuge.

Refuge Discovery Tour

Refuge Manager, Jeff Howland, takes you on a tour through some of the closed areas of the refuge. Learn about Refuge operations, endangered species management, and future refuge planning.

Ink Pot Sink Hole Tour

Refuge Ranger, Steve Alvarez, will lead you on a one-mile hike inside the Salt Creek Wilderness Area to view one of the most impressive sink holes located on the refuge. Please bring sturdy hiking shoes and water.

We recommend long pants, good walking shoes, sunscreen, and a hat. Bring plenty of drinking water for these tours.

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